

Hesitant to get the COVID-19 vaccine?



Getting the COVID-19 vaccine is one of the best ways to stay safe.

COVID-19 has been especially hard on some groups of people. These include older adults, people with health problems like asthma or diabetes, and people in some racial and ethnic communities.

Addressing common myths and facts

✗ Myth

The vaccine changes your DNA.

✓ Fact

It does not change your DNA at all.

✗ Myth

You can get COVID-19 from the vaccine.

✓ Fact

The vaccine does not contain the virus, so you can't get COVID-19 from it.

✗ Myth

The vaccine causes infertility.

✓ Fact

There's no proof that the vaccine affects fertility.

Why is the COVID-19 vaccine still important?

- It helps prevent serious illness. Even if you do get COVID-19, the vaccine makes it less likely you'll get very sick or end up in the hospital.
- It protects others. When more people get vaccinated, it helps stop the virus from spreading.



Why are some people hesitant about the COVID-19 vaccine?

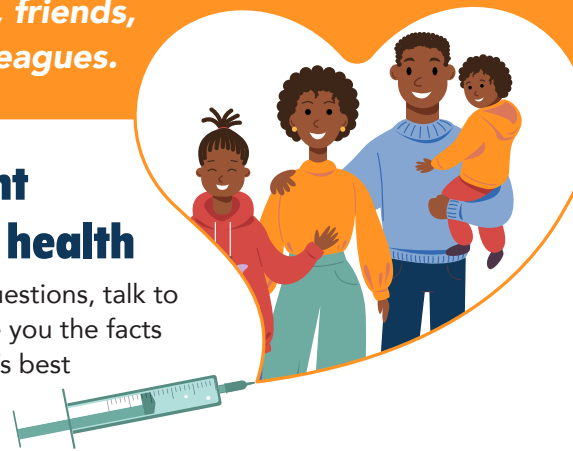
Some people have been unsure about getting the vaccine lately. They may think the virus isn't as dangerous anymore or they may have heard things that are not true. But COVID-19 can still cause serious problems—especially for people with health issues.



Even if you're healthy, getting vaccinated helps protect your family, friends, neighbors, and colleagues.

Making the right choice for your health

If you're unsure or have questions, talk to your doctor. They can give you the facts and help you decide what's best for you and your family.



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